

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
 REQUEST FOR FILING APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)
 WITHOUT FILING FEE OR EXECUTED INVENTOR'S DECLARATION



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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, DC 20231

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Date: May 29, 2001

Sir:

This is a request for filing a new PATENT APPLICATION under Rule 53(b) entitled:

QUEUE MANAGEMENT IN PACKET SWITCHED NETWORKS

without a filing fee and/or without an executed inventor's oath/declaration.

This application is made by the below identified inventor(s). Attached hereto are the following papers:

- ☒ **An abstract together with**
15 pages of specification and claims including
14 numbered claims and also attached is/are
9 sheets of accompanying drawings.
☒ **This application is based on the following prior foreign application:**

Application No.
 9804171-8

Country
 Sweden

Filing Date
 1 December 1998

the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom.

- ☐ This application is based on the following prior provisional application(s):
 Application No. Filing Date

respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom.

Certified copy/ies of foreign applications attached.

This application is a ☐ continuation/☐ division/☐ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. , filedPlease amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application is a ☐ continuation/☐ division/☐ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. , filed , the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.--

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This is a continuation of PCT application No. PCT/SE99/02104, filed 17 November 1999, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.--

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. , filed , the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.--

Preliminary amendment to claims (attached hereto), to be entered before calculation of the fee.

Also attached: ☒ **Information Disclosure Statement w/International Search Report / PTO-1449 / 6 references;** ☒ **Other: PCT/IPEA/409 / PCT/IB/308**

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